

REMARKS

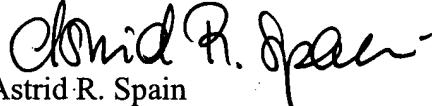
Applicants provide a Claim Listing that indicates the status of cancelled claims 1-19.

With regard to claim 34, Applicant respectfully submits that this claim's status was properly reflected in Applicants' response of September 8, 2004. If the Examiner has a different view, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney to clarify his position.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 502624 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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